

Senate File 466

H-1348

1 Amend Senate File 466, as passed by the Senate, as follows:

2 1. Page 1, after line 7 by inserting:

3 <Sec. _____. Section 280.13C, subsection 6, paragraph b, Code
4 2021, is amended to read as follows:

5 *b.* Personnel of a school district or accredited
6 nonpublic school with enrolled students who participate
7 in an extracurricular interscholastic activity which is
8 a contest in grades seven through twelve shall develop a
9 return-to-learn plan based on ~~guidance developed by the brain~~
10 ~~injury association of America~~ protocols supported by guidelines
11 of the centers for disease control and prevention of the United
12 States department of health and human services in cooperation
13 with a student removed from participation in an extracurricular
14 interscholastic activity and diagnosed with a concussion
15 or brain injury, the student's parent or guardian, and the
16 student's licensed health care provider to accommodate the
17 student as the student returns to the classroom.

18 Sec. _____. Section 280.13C, subsection 6, Code 2021, is
19 amended by adding the following new paragraphs:

20 NEW PARAGRAPH. *c.* The department of public health, in
21 collaboration with the department of education, shall adopt
22 rules pursuant to chapter 17A establishing return-to-learn
23 protocols based on guidelines of the centers for disease
24 control and prevention of the United States department of
25 health and human services that will allow for education
26 personnel and the families of students diagnosed with a
27 concussion or brain injury to collaborate with licensed health
28 care providers to provide a process for a student to return to
29 learn after a concussion or brain injury.

30 NEW PARAGRAPH. *d.* No later than January 6, 2022, personnel
31 of a school district or accredited nonpublic school shall
32 develop a district- or school-wide policy establishing a
33 process to develop and implement individualized return-to-learn
34 plans based on the return-to-learn protocols adopted by rule
35 pursuant to paragraph "c". For school years beginning on or

1 after July 1, 2022, the board of directors of each school
2 district and the authorities in charge of each accredited
3 nonpublic school shall provide the parent or guardian of each
4 student information on such protocols prior to the start of the
5 school year and shall also provide such information to a parent
6 or guardian of a new student arriving after the school year
7 has started. Any student in kindergarten through grade twelve
8 who has a concussion or other brain injury, regardless of the
9 cause of the injury, who does not qualify for a return-to-play
10 protocol under paragraph "a" or a return-to-learn plan
11 under paragraph "b", may request that school personnel, in
12 coordination with the student's parent or guardian, develop and
13 implement an individualized return-to-learn plan consistent
14 with the district- or school-wide policy that addresses
15 the student's health and academic needs and follows the
16 return-to-learn protocols adopted by rule pursuant to paragraph
17 "c".

18 Sec. ____ . INFORMATION ON PROTOCOLS — 2021-2022 SCHOOL
19 YEAR. For the school year beginning July 1, 2021, the board of
20 directors of each school district and the authorities in charge
21 of each accredited nonpublic school shall provide the parent
22 or guardian of each student information on the return-to-learn
23 protocols adopted by rule pursuant to section 280.13C,
24 subsection 6, paragraph "c", as enacted by this Act, upon
25 implementation of the district- or school-wide policy developed
26 pursuant to section 280.13C, subsection 6, paragraph "d", as
27 enacted by this Act, and shall also provide such information to
28 a parent or guardian of a new student arriving after the date
29 of such implementation.>

30 2. Title page, by striking lines 1 and 2 and inserting <An
31 Act relating to concussion and brain injury policies>

32 3. By renumbering as necessary.

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